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Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action of January 13, 2005, Applicants respectfully elect without traverse to prosecute the claims of Group III, namely Claims 5-23 and 37-41. Within Group III, Applicant elects Species 1, or Claims 5-23, for prosecution on the merits with the understanding that if a generic claim is held to be allowable, then the remaining species in Group III will also be considered.

Respectfully submitted

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